

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY  
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

December 9, 2021  
DATE OF PROCEEDINGS

OFFICE: TRENTON

JUDGE: PETER G. SHERIDAN

COURT REPORTER: FRANK GABLE

Docket # Cr. 21-329-(01) (PGS)

TITLE OF CASE:  
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
v.

BERNARD E. LOPEZ  
DEFT. PRESENT (via videoconference)

APPEARANCES:  
Perry Farhat, AUSA, for Government  
Nicole Westmoreland, Esq. for Defendant  
Patricia C. Jensen, Probation Officer

NATURE OF PROCEEDINGS: Sentencing on Counts One and Two of the Information.  
All parties, including Defendant, were present via videoconference.  
Defendant's consent for sentencing to be held via videoconference was placed on the record.  
Order regarding use of videoconferencing in accordance with Standing Order 2021-04 to be filed.  
Sentencing: Imprisonment: 33 Months on each of Counts One and Two to be served concurrently.  
Supervised release: 3 Years on each of Counts One and Two to be run concurrently with  
special conditions.  
No Fine.  
Restitution: \$137,000.00 (See J&C for list of Victim), interest waived.  
Special Assessment: \$200.00 - \$100.00 on each of Counts One and Two.  
Defendant advised of right to appeal.  
Ordered surrender date on or after 2/1/2022.  
Consent and Preliminary Forfeiture Order filed.  
Ordered bail continued.

Time commenced: 11:30 AM  
Time Adjourned: 12:30 PM  
Total Time: 1:00

*s/Dolores J. Hicks*  
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